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SIR:

In response to the Decision on Appeal dated June 24, 2003, please reconsider the application in view of the attached Request for Continued Examination and in view of the following amendment and remarks.

AMENDMENT

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

The Basis for Amendment begins on page 13 of this paper.

The Remarks begin on page 14 of this paper.

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